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Commodore's Remarks

(Commodore Steve is off to Snipe North Americans, so the Editor is guessing at his message.)

We're well into the sailing season and our sport is booming, especially for our younger sailors.

Lakes are full or filling. (Hooray!) Let's go sail and have fun.

..... Ralph Taylor, for Steven Davis

Junior Pram Regatta



Pram sailors battle on a downwind leg.

On June 11, 14 young sailors gathered at Cherry Creek Reservoir for the 2nd annual DSA Pram Regatta. They ranged from 11 to 16 in age & came from Fort Collins to Colorado Springs. Community Sailing of Colorado provided the boats for nine races under bright sun. Morning winds were light and picked up to 10-12 knots after lunch on the docks. Courses consisted of sausages (windward-leeward) and triangles

(windward-reach-leeward).



Pram sailors (& a couple of volunteers) show smiles and their trophies after awards ceremony.

Using his unique "stomp tack" to bullet the last 4 races, Ian McKenzie placed 1st with 20 points. Gwen Lemon sailed to 2nd, with only 1 finish worse than 4th for 32 points. Reeve Dunne's tactical skill partly overcame boatspeed problems to earn 33 points for 3rd place. James McKeever (4th, 47 points) had great boatspeed, but control problems in the gusts. Toni Owens (5th, 49 points) dominated the early races, but also fell back in the stronger winds.

Other competitors were Gavin Jacobs (58), McKenzie Jacobs (60), Matthew Busness (69), Sebastian Bierman-Lytle (74), Todd Wells (83), Caitlin Owens (89), Max Dean (105), Alan Gardner (107), & Jeffrey Busness (119, first time in a Pram).

All showed amazing development of their sailing skills from 2004, when several could not make progress to windward.. Starts and mark roundings were highly contested.

Steve Davis organized the event and was assisted by Jan Davis, Steve Frank, Mike McKeever, Philip Ryan, & Ralph Taylor.

2005 SAIL Calendar

July 2005

2nd Firecracker, DSA, Union Res., D
 4th Independence Day is on Monday
 2-3 4th of July Reg. & Long Race, New Mex. SC, Heron Lake
 2-3 4th of July Open, Dillon YC, Lake Dillon
 5th SAIL Meeting, 1100 No. Dahlia, Denver
 10 Junior Regatta, Bowmar, DSA, J
 17-18 **Aspen Open**, Aspen YC, Ruedi Res., KD
 23-24 **Junior Olympics**, Union Res, USC, J
 23-24 That Particular Regatta, Glendo Res. WY, M

August 2005

2nd SAIL Meeting, 1100 No. Dahlia, Denver
 6-7 **Dillon Open** Dillon YC, Lake Dillon, KDJ
 (Juniors on separate course)
 6-7? Hobie Div'n 5 Champ., Angostura, SD, M
 13-14 Wild Bill Thrill, Flaming Gorge, WY, M
 13-14 Colorado Laser Champs, Grand Lake YC, Grand Lake, CO
 20th **CC Junior Open**, Ch. Crk. DSA. J
 27th **Old Salts**, Union Res, Union SC/DSA, D
 27-28 TransMac/Mac Attack, Ogallala YC, Lake McConaughy, KDM

September 2004

3-4 **Neb. Gov. Cup**, Ogallala YC, Lake McCon'hy, KD
 3-4 Dillon Labor Day, Dillon YC, Lake Dillon
 3-4 Labor Day Reg., New Mex. SC, Heron Lake
 5th Labor Day is on Monday
 6th SAIL Meeting, 1100 No. Dahlia
 10-11? **Frostbite**, DSA, Ch. Crk. Res., K D
 24-25 **CO Gov. Cup, CLSC**, Carter Lake., KD
 24-25? Sunrise Regatta, Rio Grande SC, Truth or Consequences, NM

October 2005

4th SAIL Meeting, 1100 No. Dahlia, Denver

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8-9 Columbus Day Regatta, CSYC, Chatfield, K
 10 Columbus Day observed on Monday
 22 Pumpkin Bash Inv., Buc, Flt., Ch. Crk., D
 31 Halloween is on Monday

November 2005

5th SAIL Annual Meeting, Place TBD, Saturday

December 2005

6th SAIL Monthly Meeting, 1100 No. Dahlia, Denver

Legend: Regattas in **boldface/green** are open to other than members of host organization and counted in the SAIL Championship tours. A question mark by the date means it may be subject to change.

K = Keelboats, D = Dinghies,
 M = Multi-Hulls, J = Juniors

Date:6/27/05

Notices of Races & Regattas

{The Intermountain Sailor publishes notices for open events of member clubs & fleets in the coming quarter.}

ASPEN YACHT CLUB ANNUAL OPEN REGATTA July 16 & 17, 2005

Notice of Race & Invitation

The Aspen Yacht Club invites you to our 36th annual open regatta. Come enjoy sailing in beautiful Ruedi Reservoir where the sailing is great, the food is wonderful, and a good time is had by all that come.

When: July 16 & 17, 2005

Where: Ruedi Reservoir is located 18 miles up from the town of Basalt, Colorado on the Frying Pan Road. The yacht club entrance is on the right about half way around the lake and has a huge log gate. **Please No Dogs!** This is a rule of the club as well as the Forest Service.

Rules: The regatta will be governed by the 2005-2008 Racing Rules of Sailing, the prescriptions of US Sailing when they apply, the Sailing Instructions, this Notice of Race, and any class association or fleet rules.

Eligibility and Entry: The regatta is open to keel and dingy fleets. All eligible boats may be entered by completion of a registration and release form and paying the appropriate fees. Fleet status will be given to groups of five or more One Design boats. At least one PHRF and one Portsmouth class is anticipated. Additional

Handicap classes will be established at the discretion of the Race Committee.

All competitors shall meet the eligibility and entry requirements of their respective class associations and fleets.

Scoring: A minimum of one race will make the regatta. Races will be scored and ties broken using the Low-point Scoring System, Appendix A of the Racing Rules of Sailing. Current PHRF Handicaps from S.A.I.L. will be used for members of S.A.I.L. PHRF ratings for non-members of S.A.I.L. will be determined by the PRO.

Disclaimer of Liability: Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, or after the regatta.

Advertising: The regatta is designated Category A in accordance with Appendix G3 of the racing rules.

Trophies: Trophies will be awarded 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place finishes.

Schedule of Events:

Fri., July 15, 2005	5:00 pm – 8:00 pm	Registration
Sat., July 16, 2005	7:30 am- 10:00 am	Registration
	10:00 AM	Skippers Meeting
	11:30 AM	Warning Signal First Race
	5:00 PM	Cocktails
	6:00 PM	Dinner
Sun. July 17, 2005	8:00am-10:00 am	Cont. Brkfst.
	11:00 AM	Warning Signal First Race

Awards Ceremony Following Last Race

Fees:

\$40	Crewed Boats *
\$30	Single Handed Boats *

* Includes wine, beer, and pop Saturday night, Sunday continental breakfast, and trophies

\$18.00/person Saturday night dinner***

\$ 5.00/child Children < 12 Sat nt dinner

\$5.00 Discount for members of SAIL. & US Sailing

\$5.00 Late Fee postmarked after July 11, 2005

*** Please help us with the dinner count and make your dinner reservations early.

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USA JUNIOR OLYMPIC SAILING FESTIVAL Area F Intermountain Region July 23 & 24, 2005

Union Sailing Club Longmont CO

Key sponsors: West Marine, Gill North America

www.unionsailingclub.org

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1 RULES

1.1 The regatta will be governed by 'rules' as defined by the current Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), the prescriptions of US SAILING, the rules of the C420, Snipe, Laser, Sunfish, Butterfly & Optimist classes, this Notice of Race and by the Sailing Instructions. (Except as any of these are altered by the Sailing Instructions.)

1.2 **ALCOHOL & DRUGS:** Per US SAILING Regulation 5.03, no competitor shall use, either on or off the water, alcoholic beverages (beer, wine, and distilled spirits) or use any controlled substance (marijuana, cocaine, etc.), the possession of which is unlawful. This regulation is in effect during the entire event, from date and time of arrival through date and time of departure. On report of a violation of this regulation, a hearing will be held generally in accord with the recommendations of Appendix L of the RRS. Penalties for a violation of the regulation may range from a reprimand to dismissal from the regatta. Additionally, further action under rule 69 may be recommended by the hearing officers. The officers for hearing a violation of US SAILING Regulation 5.03 will consist of the Chief Judge, acting as chairman of the hearing, the jury, and the Event Chairman.

2 ALTERATIONS OF CLASS RULES: The class rules will be used except that RRS 60.1 (a) is changed to prohibit a boat from protesting another boat for an alleged breach of a class rule requiring class membership or imposing a weight limit.

3 ADVERTISING: Advertising is in accordance with the ISAF Advertising Code (Appendix 1) and the relevant class rules.

4 CLASSES: Classes will consist of C420 (crew of 2 including helm), Snipe (2 crew), Laser (1 crew), Sunfish (1 crew), & Optimist (1 crew). Additional classes & divisions may be established.

5 ELIGIBILITY & ENTRY

5.1 **AGE:** Applicants for all classes must not turn 22 years old in the year of the event. Optimist Class age rules apply.

5.2 **US SAILING MEMBERSHIP:** Membership in US SAILING is required for each competitor (helmsman & crew for double-handed classes). Competitors may sign up at registration. If you are already a member, bring your membership card to registration – **it will be checked.** Sailors can join online at www.ussailing.org. Family members should request individual membership cards for each child by calling the US SAILING membership office:
1-800-US SAIL-1.

6 APPLICATION: Application shall be made by completing the entry form and returning it with on check for the entry fee payable to Union Sailing Club: Mail to Union Sailing Club c/o Ivan Andrade, 2660 Bainbridge St., Fort Collins, CO 80524. Entry deadline is: Postmarked July 11, 2005. Late fee of \$20 thereafter.

7 FEES: The entry fee for all classes is \$45 per competitor. The entry fee includes an official USA Junior Olympic T-shirt & Hat, clinics/seminars, trophies and awards, door prizes. The netry fee, payable to Union Sailing Club, must be included with the entry form. Entry fee is non-refundable.

8 BORROWED/CHARTERED BOATS:

8.1 Competitors are encouraged to bring their own boats.

8.2 A limited number of Snipes, Lasers, Sunfish, & Optmists are available, first come, first serve to borrow.

9 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS (Subject to change based on weather conditions)

Saturday, July 23

0700 to 1000 Registration & check-in, competitor briefing, clinics

Lunch break

1230 First race of the series of 6 races scheduled

Sunday, July 24

1030 First start

No race shall be started after 1400

1600 Awards ceremony

10 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS: The sailing instructions will be available at registration and on the web at: www.unionsailingclub.org.

11 MEASUREMENT: Each competitor will be responsible for their boats being in compliance with the class rules.

12 SCORING: The Low-Point Scoring System, Appendix A of the racing rules, will apply for all classes. A maximum of six races are scheduled, of which one completed race to constitute a series.

13 PRIZES: USA Junior Olympic medals will be awarded to competitors placing first through third in all divisions. Prizes for sportsmanship and other categories shall be awarded.

14 SAFETY: A Coast Guard-approved PFD must be worn and fully secured at all times while afloat, except for brief periods while adding or removing clothing. Whistles permanently attached to the PFD are required. This amends rule 40.

15 COACHES: Contact Ivan Andrade, ph# 303.591.2438, email Ivemoe@aol.com and check the web site, www.sailcarter.org for further information.

RECOMMENDATIONS

LIFE JACKETS: All support people on the water – race committee, mark and tow boat operators, parents, etc. – are required to wear PFDs. Limited number of comfortable, lightweight PFDs are available; make certain they will support wearer with face out of water.

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